METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Hawesville Not a Paradise By Any Means.

A Full Description of the Work Done at Fordsville.

The twenty-ninth acasion of the Owenshoro District Couf rence of the Methodist Episcopel church South, was call id to order by Bishop H. C. Morrison at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning, April 19:b. B. F. Orr was el-cted secretary of the

meeting
All the churches in the district had representatives present and there was a great deal of enthusiasm.

The following committees were ap-

Committee on Quarterly Conference Record-J. F. DeWitt, A. E. Barrett and J. B. Hare Committee on Public Worship-Pre-

Committee on Pairle Worship—Presiding elder and preacher in charge,
Committee on State of the Church—J.
W. Emerson, G. W. Briggs, J. F. DeWitt, C. R. Barr, T. B. H-misrson
The Bishop addressed the Conference
on the question "Are We R-aching the

People."

I. W. Emerson, representing the Hawesville church, said he was not reaching the people of his church. He did not k ow the reeson why, but one thing was significant, all the business men of Hawesville were in favor of the

Rsv. C F Williams, who once had charge of the Hawesvill church, said that in all the region round about that place, the seeds of infidelity had been sown, years ago, in the minds of the

people.

Rev. J F. D. Witt corroborated Rev. Williams' statement, and said that a large per cent. of the people did not at-

Dr. Brigg, Owensboro, reported that he was reaching the popule in his charge, while B. F. Orr, of the same place, remr. Stubblefie d said: "There are many in Owensboro that we do not reach. The saloon and still house busi-

ness is a'l against us"

Bro. E giu said that Bro. Stubbl-field was mistaken, as the saloon business in Owensboro was practically dead. At a recent meeting of the city council that body licensed but twenty-four saloons, when a few years ago there were 66 drinking establishments in the city. Brother Kaufman said there was a tendency to demand sensationalism in

urged all to fidelity upon the temperance

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Just so evil in the blood comes out in shape of scrofula, pimples, etc., in children and young people. Taken in time it can be eradicated by using Hood's Sarsaparilla. In older people, the aftermath of irregular living shows itself in bilious conditions, a heavy head, a foul mouth, a general bad feeling.

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same. There is no guess-

work in their construc-

tion. Twenty-seven years

of shoe building has

ance upon the ordinances was good. Love feasts are held behind closed doors. They were well attended, and upon many occasions are of great spiritual power. There is good ground for missionary work in the neighborhood of Horse Branch; the financial condition of the district is much improved; the department of church I terature was sad y n g ected. The missionary spirit is not strong, and many of the people do not send their children to Sunday scho I

AFTERNOON SESSION-FIRST DAY.

At the afternoon session the reports of the various churches were handed in,

and were as follows:
Yelvington Circuit—Rev. C F. Willams,—Finarcial condition better than last year; spiritual condition compara-

Rome Circuit—J. T. McCormick— Three churches, 350 members. More than the usual number of heads of families hold family prayer, and the young people come out to hear the Gospel.

Lewisp of Circuit—J F DeWitt.—This circuit not in good condition, as only a small proportion attend church. There is an improvement in the financial con-

dition over last year. Only a faw pray in their homes. Settle Chapel—Ray, G. W. Briggs.— Judged by the afte dance upon public worship the condition is good. Have all the church auxiliary organizations.

On consequently in debt, but hope to pay out this year. Few people attend the theater, but as a rule the church is

good. Main Street Church, Owensboro-Ray. J. P. Stubbl-field.-Church doubled in membership. Good Leagus. Doubled salary last year. Church is gowing Hartford Church—Rev. Shas Newton. There are 377 members in the circuit,

one-third of whom are close to the Saviour. Twenty five church papers are

MISITULA C DANIEL'S REPORT.

MY DEAR FRIENDS:-Just today in opening the Brackensings News I see where Fordsville is opening wide her doors and her hearts to us Methodists, almost feel constrained by the love of Christ to add one to the number al-ready gathered As I do not do this, you will allow this little word from me to be read to you, will you not? I have the honor and the pleasure to be the humble servant of our Louisville Con-ference Woman's Foreign Mesionary Society, attending to the duties of corresponding secretary. We have in the Louisvi'l · Conference 74 adult societies, Louisvill Conference 74 adult societies, 1299 members We have 8 young people's societies, 21 juvenile societies, a total membership of 1794. Your district has two adult societies at Owensboro, one at Hartford, Hawesville, Cloverport and Atbey's Chapel at Rome. One young people's society at Owensboro. Miss Jones, of Owensboro, is the district secretary and nothing would Bishop Morrison made a magnificent district secretary and nothing would address to the conference in which he make her gladder than to enroll you among her others.

But you say we do not understand the The Bishop called upon the presiding elier for statement about the conditions of the district. He reported the district women of our church have been engaged in giving the Gospel to heathen women and children who would never hear of the Lord Jesus and His death for the world bu for them. Every conference good Sunday-school. People attended almost has its conference societies, with church when the weather is good. its regular efficers, its adult, young peo-ple and juvenile societies, who hold monthly meetings, who quarterly forward their money to a conference of B o E. V. Dowd, who is popular and treasurer, and with these offerings our work in Chins, Korea, Brez l, Mexico. Indian Territory and Cuba is carried on.

A. E. Barnett The finances are improving and the congregations are inwhom we support. We have nearly that many Bibl : women who give 365 days in the year to Christian work among the classes from which they themselves have been converted to Christianity. We have many day Christianity. We have many day schools, boarding schools, a hospital in China, a training school in this country where our missionaries are taught practical mission work and how to handle the Bible, which is the sword of the spirit.

I wish I could tell you that every southern Methodist woman and child and young lady among us was at work with us; but no, there are 650 000 of us who are at ease in Zon. Only about 75,000 at work. If these 650,000 would say, we will come with you and together can make an impression on the kingdom of Satan, together we can rescue more souls than you feeble folks are doing. Do you not see what might hospitals in vain. I tried Hood's Sarsaparilla. It helped. I kept at it and was entirely cured. I could go on the housetops and shout about it." Mrs. J. T. Williams, Carbondale, Pa. we are coming to the rescue 725,000 Scrofula Sores — "My baby at two months had scrofula sores on cheek and arm. Local applications and physicians' medicine did little or no good. Hood's Saranarilla cured him permanently. He is despair, burdens, unrest and who robs death of its sting and eternity of its horror. Heathen women can not go to church and worship as you do So many are shut up in their zenanas where no preacher can reach them. Only persons of their own sex can approach them to minister to physical and spiritual needs. Cru-lty, oppresion, despair mark their given.

Suicide is so common among | four good churches, Spiritual condition them, child murder. Before the eyes of their mother the little girls are often is fair; finances in fair condition Dr. G. W. Briggs addressed the con-

she had auswered, "Oh, I am a woman, I must not speak to men. I will rejoice

in the fact that you are indeed alive again, but I will keep it to myself." We could not say of her, then, "she loved much," for Jesus said, "if ye love Me ye

will keep my commandments." If we know Him we will love Him. "Knowin' means lovin' and lovin' means doin',"

helped going if they believed what they said they believed? Peter and John said, "we cannot but speak the things we have heard and seen." So today the

75,000 women of ne enrolled in this foreign mission work feel we cannot but

tell these idolaters of our loving Saylor

If we believe that Christianity is the

only true religion, if we believe the Bible contains God's revealed will, if we know we have the truth and that M>-

hammedanism, Buddhism, Romanism,

Confuscionism and every form of ido

worship are nothing but abomination in the ey-s of our Lord; if we know, by ex p-rieuce, that God can pardon sin and

cleanse from sin; if we acknowledge the

Lord Jesus Christ to be our Master, if we love our Muster we will obey and as far as in us lies we will preach the Gospel

to every creature. There are 200 heathen

say who shall send them if you and I

a year for Conference expense fund.

MORNING SESSION-SECOND DAY.

The morning session Thursday was opened by devotional exercises con-

J. A. Bennett, S. J. Baker, J. S. Stirman, Thomas B. Hendersou, W. P. Stevens and W. E. Parrish were named

There were three church edifices and a

the Patesville circuit in charge of Rav.

Bro Cashman, is doing nicely. He is one of the best men and is doing faith-

gregations are small and finances are

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A Cure for Blood and Skin Diseases, Ecze-

ma, Pimples, Scrofula, Blood Poison,

Cancer, Etc.

Cancer, Bleeding, Eating Sores.

women of Fordsville?

following were elected:

as alternates.

ucted by Bishop Morrison.

Will you not come to our help, you dear

drowned by enraged fathers who care only for sons. From babyhood to her grave a woman is a burdened soul, little better than the beasts that perish and yet for her your Savior died. Will you not tell her? Suppose when Mary went

THIRD DAY -MORNING SESSION The conference met at 8:30 Friday morning, devotional services being con-ducted by Rev. B F Orr.

Rev. J. C. Brandon reported the South Carro'ton Circu't. They have 21 houses of worship and 255 members. The banner church is at Mt. Olivet, where there is a perpetual revival going on. Elsewhere in the circuit the spiritual condition of the people is not encouraging. The subject of missionary societies was raised and discussed by the Bishop,

Cripple Tom says. Yes, if we really know Jesus we will obey Him and He said, "preach My Gospel to every creature." Suppose Jesus had never commanded that, could the apostles have Brothers Elgin, Orr, Barr, Emerson and Rev. J F. Barber reported the Pleas-ant Ridge circuit. It has three churches, and three Sunday schools, and is in good spiritual condition. There are 231 mem-

> The Bishop called up the question of licensing suitable persons to preach. The name of A. B. Osborne was presented as recommended by the Beech Grove cir-cuit. A ballot was taken, and he was unanimously granted a license. The name of J. W. Martin was presented as recommended by the Fordsville circuit, and he was granted a license to preach

> The following licenses were renewed:
> J. P Carden, Guyman Westerfield, W.
> E White, Keene Ryan, J. P. Ralph,
> Joseph A. Crow, C E Morehead, John The subject of recommendation to the

annual conference for admission on trial the Farmers into the annual conference was taken up, and the name of Guyman Westerfield out and go. was presented and canvassed.

The session was closed with a beautiful sermon by Bishop Morrison.

THIRD DAY-AFTERNOON SESSION.

women to every Christian woman of us It I fail to care for my 200, if you fail to care for your 200, where will the guilt Devotional services in the afternoon were led by Rev. E. W. Crow. Guyman Bishop Granbery says, "the question is not, will the heathen be saved with-out the Gospel, but will you be if you do not give it to them?" Paul says, Westerfield was unanimously introduced into the annual conference, as was also J W. Martin. The license of J. E. 'now shall they believe in Him of whom Craig as a local preacher, was renewed.

The question as to where the next conference is to be held came up, and they have not heard? How shall they hear without a preacher? How shall they preach except they be sent?" I the names of Hartford, Hawesville Beech Grove and Beaver Dam were fail? We are not responsible for but 200 each. But for this many we are! placed in nomination with the result that Hawesville was unanimously se-God help us to be about our work at this lected as the place for the next district eleventh hour! Ten cents a month from each of us for dues, ten cents once

conference.

The following resolution of thanks was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this con ference are due and are hereby pre-sented to the citizens of Fordsville for the generous and elegant hospitality in entertaining the members of the conference. To the pastor of this church The principal business of the session was the election of delegates and alternates to the annual conference. The tentions and courtesies shown us. To the trustees of the Fordsville school for the trustees of the school for our control of the trustees of the school for our control of the trustees of the school for our control of the school of the trustees of the school for our control of the school of the the use of their schoolhouse for our

B. F. ORR, J. F. DEWITT.

After some parting words spoken by nolds reported the several brothers, and especially by the condition of the Fordaville circuit as fair. | bishop, the conference adjourned

services on tomorrow.

A Thousand Tongues

Spiritual condition is unknown.

The presiding elder reported the Beech Grove circuit, which is in charge Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125, Howard St., Pailadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years has made reasing. Calhoon circuit, in charge of life a burden. All, other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she ful work The Cloverport circuit has says of this Royal Cure, "It soon relieved two edifices. It has a Woman's Mis- the pain in my chest and I can now sleep sionary Society. The league died; con- soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like soundnot improving Rev. J. H. Richardson reported the ing its praises throughout the Universe." condition of the Cervalo circuit. It has So will every one who tries Dr. King's gang of stone cutters at work in a few New Discovery for any trouble of the Throat, Chest or Lungs, Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at Short & Hay nes' drug store : every bottle guarantee d.

The Nickel Plate Show.

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Cancer, Bleading, Eating Sores. Honorably conducted and with an honorable reputation of seventeen years standing, the World Famous Nickel Plate show under the personal direction of its owner and founder, Mr W. H Harris, himself will exhibit at Cloverport Friday May 5th. The performance given by the well-known show this year is the best ever seen beneath a canvas. every act is a feature and every feature is the best that money and brains can

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Ready Made Skirts

Live Stock Shipped. J. B. Dautschke and N. F. Houston, of

Webster, shipped a car load of hogs to Louisville Monday.

Mrs R. M. Jolly, her daughter, Nannie Lee Jolly, and Miss Eva Carrigan, went to Atlanta, Ga., Monday to attend the International Sunday school Convention.

A Veneering Factory.

It is rumored that Cloverpert is to have a veneering factory. Harvey Mc-Cracken and other capitalists are con-sidering this place as a location for a big plant.

Will Clarry.

It is rumored that Percy Ryan will soon be married to Miss Mattie Mat-tingly. The latter is a daughter of Robt. Mattingly, of Balltown. Both are popilar young people.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away. To quit tobacco easily and forever, be mag setic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To Bac, the wonder worker, that makes weak me strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaran-teed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Big Business.

The merchants are all unanimous in declaring that Saturday was one of the largest business days in years. An immense quantity of goods were sold by the local merchants

For the Farmers. The L., H. and St. L. railroad has made

a special rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip to those who attend the Farmers' Institute at Irvington next Saturday, April 29th. Everybody turn The Eagle, King of All Birds is noted for its keen sight, clear and dis-

tiuct vision. So are those persons who use Sutherland's Eagle eye salve for weak eyes, styes, sore eyes of any kind or granulated lids. Sold by all dealers. at 25 cents.

Fingers Clipped Off.

James Lewis, while at work on woodworking machine at the Cloverport Planing Mulis, last Saturday, had the misfortune to accidentally clip off the ends of his fingers.

Holding His Wheat.

S. J. Baker, of Patesville, has shipped 200 bushels of wheat from this city to ouisville where he will store it in the elevator until June, when he expects to get from 90 cents to \$1 per bushel for it

That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cts. Money back if not cured. Sold by Short & Haynes,

Hancock For Hardin.

S. J. Baker, of Patesville, says that while sentiment at Hawesville seems to be for Goebel, there will not be any doubt about Hardin carrying the county. Stone has some following in the county

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever, 10c. 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Will Begin Work.

Manager Cornwall, who owns the quarry below town, says that he has secured the contract for furnishing stone for the abutments and piers of a big bridge at Peora, Ill. He will place a big

Rheumatism Cured.

My wife has used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism with great relief, and I can recommend it as a splendid liniment for theumatism and other household use for which we have found it valuable,-W. J. Cuyler, Red Creek,

Mr. Cuyler is one of the leading merchants of this village and one of the most prominent men in this vicinity.-W. G. Phippin, Editor Red Creek Herald. For sale by A. R. Fisher, Cloverport; R. A. Shellman, Stephensport.

Escaped Lynching. "Bud" Jackson, a Lewisport negro, who was charged with raping a colored

girl in that town Saturday, made his escape, but was recaptured at Owensboro. An angry mob of Lewisport negroes tried to lynch him but cooler heads pre-

Notice.

The incidental fees of \$1,50 for running expenses of the school, has not been by some of the patrons. Those who have not are notified to call and settle with Sheriff Payne by the 10th of May. If not settled by that time, he will proceed according to law.

DR J L. MOORMAN,

Chairman.

Mothers! Beware of those secret rcb bers of your baby's quiet and health. Those sleepless nights and long hours of tiresome vigil are caused by those terrible enemies of childhood-worms. Destroy and remove them with WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. Price 25 cents. -A. R. Fisher.

Prominent Man Dead. The Stephensport correspondent to

the Naws says: We were shocked to hear this morning (Monday) of the sudden death of one of the very best men in our community, Mr. Thomas Roberts, of brain fever. He was sick only two days and passed away at 12:30 Sunday night. We have known him for years as a man who lived his re-ligion every day. He was at the regular prayer meeting service Thursday night, and payed his usual quarterly dues Sat-urday—his last on earth

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ROME, IND.

Miss Sarah Willson is now able to be Mr. John D. Kroush went to Evans-

Mr. and Mrs. A E. William and sister,
Miss Myrtle, were the guests of Miss
Anna Dhonan Sunday.
Miss Mary Willson is spending the
week with Mrs. Helen Schank. I guess
she likes the country.
Miss Elsie Bubenzer, of Louisville,
who has been the guest of her sister, reri le Sunday. Mr. Elmer Wheeler, of Hardin Grove, was in town Sunday.

Miss Mary Anderson left Saturday for Derby to visit relatives

Mr. Adam Auspach made a flying trip turned home Thursday. o Cannelton last week. Mr. Garfield Huckeby returned home this week from New Orleans. Miss Alma Groves was the guest of

Miss Leota Shoemaker Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hall were the guests of friends in the country Sunday. Miss Jennie Rowe is quite sick, but

we hope she will be better soon. Mr. R. W. Shoemaker went to Louisville Sunday with a lot of cattle. Mrs Helen Schank has returned home

music she had composed lately. A Life For 50c.

Many people have been cured of Kidney Diseases by taking a 50c bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure.—A. R. Fisher, Cloverport, and E. A. Witt, Hardine-

Township Sunday school convention will be held here next Saturday. April

Miss Blanche Mosley, of Stephensport, was in our town Tuesday evening selling

All are invited to attend.

from Cloverport where she has been at

tending the meeting.

Mrs. J D Kroush, who has been ver
ill for some time, is improving.

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